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Application No.:	09/802,485	Art Unit:	2135
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.